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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 8, 2009, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response, the present amendment and response is submitted under 37 C.F.R. §1.116.

Claims 1, 4, 6, 13-15, 18, 20, 21, 29, 30, 33, 36, 39-41, 48-50, 53, 55, 58, 60, 63, and 64 remain pending in the application. Claim 64 is amended herein. No claims are added or canceled herein. Reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims is respectfully requested.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 9 of this paper.